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SPREAD-SPECTRUM COMMUNICATIONS

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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to the initial Office Action, Applicants respectfully request that the application  
be amended as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

On page 1, please replace paragraph [0002] with the following:

--[0002] CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

[0002a] This application is a continuation-in-part to U.S. Patent Application No.  
08/956,740 filed on October 23, 1997, which issued on April 10, 2001 as U.S. Patent No.